

DISABILITY NETWORK DIRECTORY

Evacuation and Disaster Resources

American Red Cross Montgomery County Chapter

2020 East-West Highway
Silver Spring, MD 20910
301-588-2515 (V)
202-728-6400 (General Information)
1-800-882-3737 (Toll Free)

www.redcrossnca.org

Provide practical and helpful awareness and educational information that shows the public how to save lives, reduce injuries, and protect their homes from disaster. Also provide shelter, food, and clothing to address basic human needs.

Disaster Resources for People with Disabilities

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www.jik.com/disaster.html

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Disaster Assistance

1-800-621-3362 (Toll Free)
1-800-462-7585 (TTY)

www.fema.gov

Money or direct assistance to individuals, families and businesses in an area whose property has been damaged or destroyed and whose losses are not covered by insurance. Temporary housing, repair, replacement, permanent housing construction, disaster-related medical and dental costs, disaster-related funeral and burial costs, clothing, household items, fuel for primary heat source, disaster damaged vehicle, and moving and storage expenses related to the disaster.

Inclusive Preparedness Center

1010 Wisconsin Avenue, NW, Suite 340
Washington, DC 20007
202-338-7158 (V)

E-mail: info@inclusionresearch.org

www.inclusivepreparedness.org

Assist local emergency planning organizations in the planning for individuals who need specialized communications, transportation, medical supports, training, workshops, and on-site technical assistance.

Job Accommodation Network (JAN)

1-800-526-7234 (Toll Free)
1-877-781-9403 (TTY)

www.jan.wvu.edu/media/emergency.html

Publish the "Employers' Guide to Including Employees with Disabilities in Emergency Evacuation Plans".

National Fire Protection Association (NFPA)

617-770-3000 (V)

www.nfpa.org

Offers a variety of materials specific to persons with disabilities and publish a quarterly newsletter.

National Organization on Disability (NOD) - Emergency Preparedness for Persons with Disabilities

1625 K Street, NW, Suite 802

Washington, DC 20006

202-293-5960 (V)

202-293-5968 (TTY)

E-mail: epi@nod.org

www.nod.org

National outreach, education, and awareness efforts to ensure that people with disabilities take measures to prepare themselves for emergencies. Also ensure that emergency managers address disability concerns and that people with disabilities are included in all levels of emergency preparedness planning, response, and recovery. Workplace Emergency Preparedness 8-week training program for businesses.

National Safety Council

1-800-621-7615 (Toll Free)

E-mail: customerservice@nsc.org

www.nsc.org

Educate and influence people to prevent accidental injury and death. Emergency preparedness resources for work.

Office of Emergency Management and Homeland Security

240-777-2300 (V)

E-mail: mchomelandsecurity@montgomerycountymd.gov

Educate the public on emergency preparedness for all hazards and focused outreach to the County's diverse and special populations. Website features information on disaster preparedness for the disabled and elderly. Sign up for Alert Montgomery to receive emergency notifications and severe weather and transportation alerts: <http://alert.montgomerycountymd.gov>.

Public Health Emergency Hotline – Montgomery County

240-777-4200 (24-Hour Hotline)

Taped information during time of non-emergency.

Staffed at other times.

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U.S. Fire Administration (USFA)

16825 South Seton Avenue

Emmitsburg, MD 21727

301-447-1000 (V)

www.usfa.fema.gov

Prevention, preparedness, and response by providing national leadership to local fire and emergency services. Fire prevention and safety campaigns.

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